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TELEGRAMS.

THE TEST MATCH.

ENGLAND WIN BASILY.

[Reuter's Service To The "Telegraph."] [Reuter's Service To The "Telegraph."]

London. Received December 18. Reuter's correspondent Durban states that England beat | Deputies, Marquis San Giuliano, South Africa in the first Test Foreign Minister, said that the

nings and 157 runs. owing to rain.

The Englishmen took their the conciliatory spirit of the score to 450 before the side were Powers. all dismissed, Douglas (who was 105 not out on Monday) contri- lands, he said that Italy adhered The following character sketch of the two parties till it was clear

buting 119. which Nourse scored 46.

ed five wickets for 48 runs.

THE LATEST LINER.

HUGE N.D.L. BOAT LAUNCHED

London. Received December 18. Reuter's correspondent at Danzig states that the Crown Princess has launched the Norddeutscher

passagers.

The Columbus is expected to be ready for service in September or October, 1914. The steamer will have a length of 775 it. perial Conference of 1911. a beam of 83 ft., and a depth of 54 ft. She will have accommodation for about 500 first cabin passengers, 500 second cabin, 700 Naturalisation Act, based on a third cabin, and 1,400 to 1,500 scheme to be agreed upon, but fourth class passengers. The steamer will have nine decks, of throughout the Empire.] which the top deck will be se saide for first cabin social rooms The Columbus will exceed the steamer George Washington in gross measurement by about 8,000 tons. The cabin space in all classes will be unsually large. The Munich srchitect, Paul Ludwig Trocat, will design the decorative features. The Columbus will have a speed of 20 to 21 knots. The safety devices will says the ship Fram, has sailed thereto, in his rare interviews to work though the strike was not law,

THE NAVAL VOTE.

extent possible.]

LITTLE ENGLANDERS' PLEA

London Received December 18.

Mr. Asquith received a deputation of Liberal Members of Parliament, who contended that a further increase in armaments beyond the programmes slready sanctioned by the House of Commone was unnecessary and ought | that to be refused. They also protest the ed against Mr. Churobill's Guildhall announcement, of a substan. tial increase in expenditure.

The proceedings were private, but it is understood- that Mr. Asquith replied to the effect that he knew of no increases except those ganctioned, which were of an automatic character.

Mr. Asquith said he sympathised fully with the auxiety. attention of the Government.

TELEGRAMS.

ALBANIAN FRONTIER.

THE ITALIAN VIEW.

London. Received December 17. Speaking in the Chamber of Match on Wednesday by an in-problem of the Southern frontier of Albania was of vital import-South Africa in their first in- ance to Italy and Austria, who nings compiled 182, and on the were determined to co-operate in day afternoon only slightly indisconclusion of the second day's order to preserve their equi- posed, and he died suddenly at play on Monday the visitors had librium, and the freadom of the midnight. had scored 419 for the loss of Adriatic. He had reason to His Holiness the Pope is griefseven wickets. There was only believe that their legitimate de-stricken and has ordered the fifty minutes' play on Tuesday, mand would be realised without greatest honours to be bestowed serious complications, in view of on the late Cardinal's memory.

Referring to the Aegean is- A CHARACTER SKETCH. In their second venture the Power ought to secure territorial of the Public Ledger, Philadelphia; to settle the question. Africans put together 111, of advantages out of the Balkan will be read with interest: crisis. To maintain the balance "Cardinal Rampolla is with-For the visitors Barnes captur- of power in the Mediterranean, out exception at the present Turkey must be maintained moment the most notable figure intact and strong. The excell- of the Sacred College. Scion of ence of the relations existing be- one of the oldest and most illustween Italy and Great Britain trious houses of the Sicilian nclength,

> IMPERIAL . NATURALISATION.

BILL TO BE INTRODUCED.

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The vessel is of 41,800 tons displacement, will steam 20 knots and have accommidation for 3,532

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[The resolution passed by the Conference favoured an Imperial still undefined, for conferring a citizenship of the Vatican. uniform British

THE FRAM.

LATEST MOVEMENTS.

not only meet official require- for the North Pacific, via Ma- with the Holy Father. This is settled, and the other strikements, but will include everything gellan, fearing to miss the Arctic not surprising, when it is borne breakers. to increase safety to the greatest summer's work.

> 15 stated :- Reuter's correspond- policy of his predecessor. ent at Buenos Aires states that be the first vessel to pass through the Panama Canal, after which to the Arctic.]

FRENCH FINANCES.:

BIG LOAN WITHDRAWN.

London. Received December 18. A message from Paris states w. Caillaux is withdrawing £52,000,000 loan and bas been authorised to introduce a Bill opening credits to meet current expenditure.

PORT OF LONDON.

A MILLION LOAN.

being 92.

LOSS TO CATHOLICISM.

TELEGRAMS.

London, Received December 17. Reuter's Rome correspondent

eave the death is announced of Cardinal Rampolla. The Pope Grief-Stricken London. Received December 18.

Cardinal Rampolla was yester

was also referred to at some bility, and Marquis del Tindaro CROWD DEMAND REPRIEVE. in his own right, he is one of the very few Italian members of the Senate of the Church who is of patrician birth.

> unpretentious two-story building, reprieve of the murderer of E Tung Government. a palace in name only, which for bookseller at Oldham in July Mr. Eldon Potter continued his sident or Vice President. But flinchingly. those departments deal with matters of doctrine, dogma, and ritual, and have nothing whatsoever to do with the foreign policy

"Treated with the most proof his found deference fellow-Cardinals, his recomutterances mendations and are listened to with respect, and are also adopted by them. But both Pins X. and his Secretary of State, Cardinal Merry del Val. Colorado, says 38 minera were pointedly refrain from consulting killed in an explosion kesused by him about any foreign matters, coal-dust, at, the Vulcan mine. London, Received December 17. | While Bampolla, on his side, is Only two were rescued. Some of Reuter's correspondent at Colon careful to avoid any reference the victims are men who returned late to necessity to prove Chinese in mind that Pius X. has com-[A message received on August pletely reversed the foreign

clave, says the paper mentioned didature.

TELEGRAMS.

DLOEMBER

HOME RULE.

CARDINAL RAMPOLLA DEAD. THE POST OFFICE QUESTION.

London. Received December 17. The Daily Chronicle states that ed to eliminate from the Home work, it is not anticipated that

Rule Bill the provision transfer there will be any further trouble period of five years. ring the Post Office to an Irish in the public services. Parliament, thus clearing the way There have been remarkable Sir E. Grey and the Opposition.

London. Received December 18. Sir Edward Grey speaking at badly hit by the strike. Alnwick, dealt with the Home Rule question. He said up to the present there had been no progress towards a settlement by consent. He was not auxious for a formal conference of the leaders to the principle that no great which appeared in a recent issue that the Opposition were disposed

London. Received December 17.

the Dominions the Government foreign relations of the Holy See, A vast consolired walked seven prove a specific charge had been His widow with whom every sym- frontier of Albania is one of hoped to pass in the coming and restricts his sectivity ax- miles to Manchester Prismann the made in China. hoped to pass in the coming and restricts his sectivity ex- miles to Manchester Prison ou the made in China. session of Parliament an Imperial clusively to those Congregation, occasion of the execution of the Erancis Piggott:—Prove pathy is felt is also in Hongkong. vital importance to Italy and Naturalisation Bill in accordance which Resolution 10 of the Imstyled, of which he is either Pre- streets. The murderer died un made; prove first an actual charge ports.

MINE EXPLOSION.

38 LIVES LOST

London. Received Decepiber 17. A message from Mewcastle, in

sen and Peary. The Fram will drinking no wine, and alto- having no veto of its own, induc, had gone in the Supreme Court gether indifferent to the ed Austria to make was of hers. by way of habeas corpus. the Panama Canal, after which pleasures of the table, he is ... Cardinal Rampolia selection matter of fact be had been in Amundsen proceeds immediately a men of great magnetism in the Conclave following the formed by his friend. Mr. Slade, and charm, whose rare words are death of Leo . XIII was and he supposed he could say that, uttered with a voice that is par-vetoed in the name of Austria an old case, had gone to ticulary soft and pleasing. Many by the Austrian Oardinal Kata Suprema Court before his friend devoted to him, a chthalar, who had refrancia from (Sir Francia Piggott) introduced greater number fear intimating that he lied red tod his excellent law reports, and in him, while few profess to be any instructions from the Aust the case it was decided that they able to father him. For no trian Crown until the very last need not prove Chinese law. one can boast of ever having been minute; in fact until after the nei The case was proceeding as we taken into his confidence. He is geesary majority of votes had been ment to press. the most unemotional and self- secured for the election of Rem-

TELEGRAMS.

LEEDS STRIKE.

WORKERS CHEERED.

[Router's Bervice To The "Telograph."] [Reuter's Bervice To The "Telograph."] [Reuter's Service To The "Telograph."]

Tondon Received December 18 Although only a proportion of the Cabinet has practically decid- the men at Leeds have resumed

Home Rule all round. scenes in the city, the people cheering the workers. The working classes have been

MEXICAN AFFAIRS.

PROPERTY CONFISCATED. London, Received December 1. his pephews, worth many anxious. millions, and holds the son of Terraza to ransom at Chihushua.

THE EXTRADITION CASE.

Mr Potter's Speech for the Prosecution.

This afternoon in the Police There were remarkable scenes Court, before Mr. J. R. Wood, the "Since the election of Pius X. at Oldham yesterday, where a case was continued in which exhe has been living very quietly in crowd of 30,000, angered at the tradition procesdings are being the Palace of St. Martha, just be- refusal of Mr. McKenns to receive taken against Chang Saunam, hind St. Peter's, a square and a deputation to urge for the on the requisition of the Kwang

and then under some specific law.

was rather a case of negative stgament, but if his Worship found they had to prove Chinese law in an extradition case he would be laying down a new course of procedure and departing from the old procedure by his Worship himself, and any magistrate who has sat in Chinese extradition care these courts, because rightly or wrongly, the Magistrates this Colony in hearing extradition cases had always held that there

ed, not held, Mr. Potter said, very well they "Although secetio and austere ficiency to have secured for him Court or the Magisty tes Court al- last spring. The most recent rethe Fram has sailed for Colon, as regards his own mode of life, the tiars, had it not been for the though there had been very many ports were that he was in quite the Fram has sailed for Colon, as regards his own mode of life, the tiars, had it not been for the though there had been very many ports were that he was in quite the was in quite the sailed for Colon, as regards his own mode of life, the tiars, had it not been for the though there had been very many ports were that he was in quite the was in quite the sailed for Colon, as regards his own mode of life, the tiars, had it not been very many ports were that he was in quite the was in qui

London Received December 18. and has often been mentioned as deprecating the intervention on ed, finally developed into religi- tiral from the Society's work he conThe Porte of London Authority a likely occupant of the Papal the part of the Government of our mania. She had to give up tinued to reside in Singapore and expenditure, and the matter was has issued's 4 per cent. Loan of office. He received no less than Italy or of any lors graph power, no her profession and now lives un-kept up to some extent his religious receiving the samest and constant one million sterling, the price sixty-two votes at the last Con- insistellion withdrawless his can-der constant one million sterling, the price sixty-two votes at the last Con- insistellion withdrawless his can-der constant one million sterling, the price sixty-two votes at the last Con- insistellion withdrawless his can-der constant one million sterling, the price sixty-two votes at the last Con- insistellion withdrawless his can-der constant one million sterling, the price sixty-two votes at the last Conlonely country cottage.

[Ostaslatischer Lloyd Service.]

THE TURKISH MISSION. ing the volunteer workers.

BRITISH FADMIRAL'S STATEMENT.

The British admiral (in Turkey?) declares that the British naval mission to Turkey is in-General Villa has confiscated vested with powers no less than all the property of Terraza, the those of the German military wealthy Mexican landowner and thus there is no reason for being

London, Received December 18. residence for the Cardinal hold- attempting to disperse them, and was not quite clear as to what Sir been in hospital some time the Home Rule Bill the provision was not quite clear as to what Sir been in hospital some time the Home Rule Bill the provision and was not quite clear as to what Sir been in hospital some time the Home Rule Bill the provision and was not quite clear as to what Sir been in hospital some time the Home Rule Bill the provision and was not quite clear as to what Sir been in hospital some time the Home Rule Bill the provision and a meeting of the British Rule Post Office to the smalled windows. There were Francis meant when he argued and recovered sufficiently to transferring the Post Office to the generations has been used as a last, atoned the police, who were reply to Sir Francis Piggott. He

Mr. Potter said his first answer

Bir Francis Piggott : - Assum-

Dancer's £16.000 Claim.

TELEGRAMS.

AUSTRIAN NAVY.

BIG EXPENDITURE.

Berlin. Received December 17. The Austrian naval administration demands 426 millions (kronen) to be spread over a

Peking, Received December 17.

CUSTOMS SERVANT'S DEATH.

Mr. C. A. Roberts Passes Away.

the Matilda Hospital of Edward tion are disposed to settle the Arthur Roberts, examiner of question.

Chinese Customs at Pakhoi, at the age of 51.

SINGAPORE'S OLDEST

Passes Away at Bangkok.

The oldest of Singapore's

age and was born in Gibraltar.

NEWS FOR BUSY MEN.

TELEGRAMS.

CONDENSED.

A telegram from Rome ennounces the death of Cardinal Rampolla.

In the first Test Match - Engand beat South Africa by an innings and 157 runs.

There have been remarkable goenes at Leeds, the people cheer-

An Imperial Naturalization Bill is to be introduced in the

next session of Parliament. Mr. Asquith has received a deputation of Liberal M.P's who object to increased naval ex-

penditure. Italy adheres to the principle that no Great Power ought to secure territorial advantages out of the Balkan crisis.

A Newcastle, Colorado, U.S.A., telegram says that 38 miners were killed in an explosion of coal dust at the Vulcan Mine

Sir Edward Grey is not anxious for a conference on Home The death occurred to-day at Rule till it is clear the Opposi-

It is said the Cabinet has prac-The deceased gentleman had tically decided to eliminate from

A number of subscription griffins were drawn for yesterday.

Log Book appears on page 6 and Commercial news on pages 8

General News and an article Want of discipline is alleged

concerning Victory Gaol. An article on the subject appears on page 4 of this issue.

A man who pleaded guilty to larceny from the person, at the The deceased gentleman must Oriminal Sessions to-day, received have been about eighty years of a sentence of eighteen months hard labour.

DON'T FORGET.

TO-DAY.

Victoria Theatre, 9:15 p.m. Bijou Scenic Thestre, 9.15 p.m. TO-MORROW.

Victoria Theatre 9.15 p.m. Bijou Theatre 9.15 p.m. Sale of Toys and Dolls G. P. Sale of Wines and Spirits; G.P.

Auction of Crown Land, P. W. Wednesday December 24.

Tuesday, January 6. G. Fenwick and Co. Ltd. in liquidation-General/meeting of

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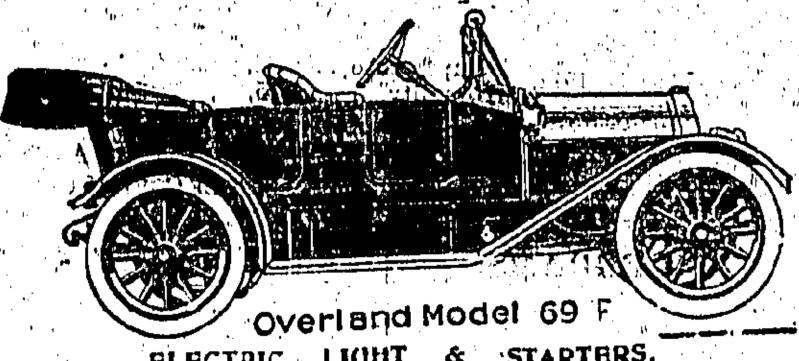
European residents has just pass- dealing with the Manila Cattle ed away, by the death, which we trade appear on page 3. in regret to announce, of Mr. John Haffenden, says the Straits Times. The event took place on the 9th inst, in Bangkok, where the depeased gentleman had been stayfor the past eight months with his son, who is in the service of At a meeting of the Legislative. Messis. Syme and Co. there, Council held this siternoon had "assumed." As far as he His friends in Singapore had no ordinances dealing with oplum was aware there was no decision premonition of the end, although and dentistry were read a first "that is to say, an sample sufe to the contrary in the supreme Mr. Hallenden was in bad health time,

He came out to Singapore as far back as 1852 as a clerk on the staff of Middletons and Co. We understand that after some years here he went to Manila and Japan and was absent from Singapore for a time, returning to the service of another firm here. In that service he was called upon to do a good deal of Sunday religious views he did not take to contained prelate of a church the polla. The communication was Dancer's £16,000 Claim. Teligious views no did not take to discretion and reserve of the made by Cardinal Ketsobthaler. The lump sum of £18,000 and it very kindly. Ultimately it led to discretion and reserve of the made by Cardinal Ketsobthaler. The lump sum of £18,000 and his regionation. Later he became members of which have achieved with the most manifest reluciance, an annual allowance of £240 are his resignation. Later he became a world-wide fame. When and it was evident that he had claimed by Mme. Lyguad' Orna, agent for the British and Foreign Secretary of State to Leo XIII he hoped that he would not be called the dancer, for nervous shock str. Bible Society which he representused to be known, on account of upon to make use of the peremp- stained in a railway collision near ed in the Peninsula for many Lummert's Sales Room 4 p.m. his reticence, by the strange yet tory commands which he had Toulouse in 1911. elequent title of "The Grand received from his Government. Mme. d' Orna had received a bered for his work in that con-Silencer," which in olden times The message was received with salary of £50 a week in England, nection. Among Malays, to Lammert's Sale Room.—11 a.m. was used to designate the great indignation by the entire and at the time of the accident whom he carried the Word, he Secretary of State of the Byzan- Conclave, and it was sthen and had just signed a year's contract was very well liked and his Auction of tipe Emperors. There proposed to ignove the veto. for America for a sum of 23,820. through knowledge of their lang- D.—3 p.m. The late Cardinal Rampolla But Cardinal Rampolls would not After the collision she suffered uage and life gave him a high was Secretary of State of Leo XIII, hear of any such thing, and while nervous troubles, which, it is state place in their estimation. On his re-

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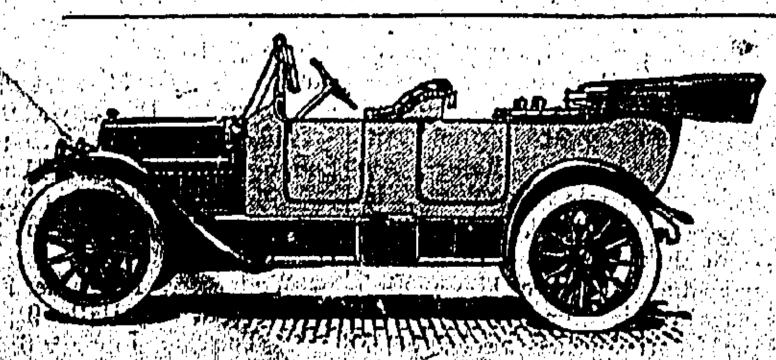
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The Business Outlook. It was reported by Chinese in the colony yesterday that news bad been received of the financial collapse of six mills and two banks in Bangkok. A large Chinese bueiness concern in Honghong was also stated to be in difficulties, and various other rumours tended to disturb commercial circles. The effect pitherologing flown of the Singapore merchants Lah Kee Seng and Loh Ohea Seng was undoubtedly far reaching as creditors were found to be many and the Hongkong and Shanghai, the International, the Mercantile, Netherlands Indies, Commercial and the Indo China Banks all represented creditors. Add to this the shakiness induced by the suspension of the Indian Specie Bank, and the generally delicate position of finance in Indian commercial centres, and immours such as were in circulation yesterday may do not a little harm

Daily Press

China's Political Sub-Divisions. The division, say, of although tung into four or five prefectures" (for apparently it is not proposed to retain the old prefectures) would do nothing to counteract the centrifugal forces, for these prefectures would always tend to group themselves together for common action as the representative of the former Kwangtung. On the other hand. if three or four provinces were to be grouped together as a territory," they might, if sympathetic with each other, easily prove too strong a gombination for the Central Government to control. while, if the idea is, to nullify a strong independent province by grouping it with two or three dependent ones, the old provincial demargations would at once reassert themselves. There ; is also the question of the Provincial Assemblies. If these are to have a place in the new order of things, there would be the danger, if the unit were too large, that they would be cowerful enough to become independent, while if the unit were too small, they would be so numerous, as to be costly absurdities. We do not urge that the division into 22 provinces is the last word in political wisdom -it might indeed to an advantpge if the number could be slightly reduced by amalgamating n some cases two provinces (as Yunnan and Kueighou) that were formerly under the same. Viceroy -but the slight advantages to be

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change would involve.

gained; by a change are lar out-

weighed by the dangers, that such

The Industrial Upheavals. As it is indubitable that the progress of the country is being heavals, it is surely time that the Government moved more effectusly towards the discovery of a solution or at least a paliative that might tend to produce a happier state of affairs. 1. Compulsory arbitration seems to us to meet the case, and why it has not been adorted in England, as it had been in Australia and New Zealand, seems to us to be an absurd anomaly in a country that prides itself unpon vita practical wave. altris intolerable that industrial upheavals should be of such i frequent recurrence and, therefore, the sooner the abatter for all concerned will it be when the representatives of the State. quietly yet firmly, take upon their paternal shoulders the burden of deciding between the contending parties—and, better still, of bringing, when necessary, all the power of the State to their assistance in seeing that their docisions are effectively carried out.

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GENERAL NEWS.

Telegraph Districts.

The Ministry of Communications has viel the country into thirteen telegruph districts in the service.

Old-Time Electioneering.

In the old days the Cinque Ports understood thoroughly the art of prolonging an election to ensure the return of the right man. Witness a political campaign at Seaford in the eighteenth century. In readiness for a Goneral Election some 50 extra voters employed by one candidate were imported into the b rough, and mest and chilled mest." rated for various houses held by widows and others without a vote. One was even rated fr the parish poorhouse. But unhappily Parliament dissolved 17 completed the six months' residence necessary to entitle them to a vote. But the candidate mitting out le from other countries of Aleace—he would not be was und unted. An arrange to enter the Philippi es now, Mr punished; on the contrary, he ment with the returning officer Taylor?" drove the election off as late as possible, and then he remembered that strictly according to statute six oaths ought to be administeral to each elector. So he duly insisted on Bix. with the result that only two votes an hour could be recorded, and before the poli was closed his employees had completed their residence, gained their vote, and could decide the election.

Air Mail to Riviera.

in France. The one previously islands at this time. begun is from Paris to Pauillac] motor-car. The airman will thus The flight will be made in able of attaining a speed seventy miles an hour. The Ministry of Commerce has insist- islands would be insured: ed that the biplane shall be provided with an automatic stabilising device. When the for, slahough most people are n t the sire t, firced down a dark new service line been , established the saving of time over the rail way will be twenty hours.

More Ornate Clothes. are becoming more and more that they are increasing annually cut the town exposed to ridicule informal in dress, observes a wri- about 15 per cent. And these and insult. For the present ter in the Evening Standard The top hat in disappearing from the either. In alm s all cases we visit the cases and public houses. city, and with it morning dress, have found that there was a ten- As regards the origin of the while the lounge ruit is wern on decry to under-cetimate the num- public excitement and indiguaoccasions when it would have ber of cattle by from 5 to 35 per tion, the Strasburger Post underbeen regarded askance a few years cent, and Ishall be grouly surpris- stude that Loutenant von ago. But this is only partly true. dil within from from three to five Forstner was not aware of the The tide has turned and is setting years, the islands have not only local meaning of the wird towards formality, or a better enough cuttle for work and meat Wacke, and thought it only word perhaps would be dressiness. purposes, but also have enough meant "a row'y." During the The dinner jucket, for instance, for exportation. This was the instruction of new excutts le had is looked upon but coldly now by case in South Africa at one time. spoken of some recent assaults on hostesses. It was quite the thing That country was so badly overrun soldiers, and said that it was the for evening wear at house parties with rinderpest that the Austra- duty of recruits to abstain from until recently, but hostesses do lian meat concerns were furnish basling, but if they were not like it this year. "The teadency is all toward more dressy established stations and slaughter should defen i, themselves and and more ornamental wear for houses in great abundance. retal ats, and be without any lear men," said the editor of the Tailor Within a comparatively few of objection from his superior and Cutter, who was consulted on years, however, the growth of officers, and that he would give the subject by one of our repre- the cattle of the country half a sovereign to any soldier sentatives. "The dinner jacket increased to such a great extent who distinguished himself in this is nothing like so dressy as the that not only did they have way. According, however, to much worn by those who attire needs, but became a strong com- Alsace, the occasion of Lieutenant correctly. Then look at the even petitor with Australia for furnish von Forstner's remarks was the ing suits this season. Like every- ing the meat supply for England, sentencing of a soldier to two the tails are longer, and more that we are increasing our cattle ing, and he said that the man been re-modelled. In the lounge than they did in Africa at that if it had been "an Aleatian suits there is a lighter fit at the time." waist. No, certainly there is not -so much laxity. True, the tall hat is disappearing in some directions, but look at some of the types which are taking its placethe soft plush hat with a tuft of feathers -- they become more The Civil Governor of Kweiornate. Going back to the dinner yang on the 5th December issued jacket, you will notice that they a proclamation denouncing are much less worn on the stage. opium-growers and threatening lone of the big Variety of "And the stage gives a lead?" them with death, Several have Well, hardly that, but it cer- already been shot in the Heingyi

THE CATTLE TRADE.

Manila Official and Chilled Ment from Hongkong.

order to facilitate the control of and you can state this as empha- affair: -An extraordinary riot is of the United Stated to-day. I ed Berlin from the Paris newsment shall be used. There is a believed and whittled down, but vast distinction between frozen t'ie German semi-official Tele-

and opinion of Director F. W. According to this German re ng for as the meat supply of the regiment at Zabern, named von Pullippines is concerned, gleaned Forstner, was reported to have days before these imports had by a Cablenews American reporter said to a recruit that if he stabin an interview with that official. | bod a Wacke-this is a common

be admitted if they are immunize efficer added that he would willod. By this I mean that, if we ingly give a Thaler, are requested to do so, we will .. This incident was very sharply send a man to a port like Hong- criticized in the local Press, and kong, for instance, and have him while the military authorities incculate with sernm the cattle published neither a denial nor a designated for shipment to the correction, "the native population islands. Then they must be kept became from day to day more and there for a period of from fifteen more excited." On Siturday to twenty days for observation and evening there were noisy demonafter they arrive here they will also trations in front of the officera' e detained for a period of about mess. On Sunday afternoon a ten days, in order to make sure crowd of about 400 people gatherthat everythin small right. This ed before a private house where At the end of last month a sec n lis the only way that I feel we Lieutenant von Foreiner happenserial postal service was started our safely admit cartle into the ed to be, and was so noisy

(in the south-west of France) to has been frozen until it is as was taken home by two soldiers catch the South American steam- hard as a rick. It is frozen armed with loaded rifles. In the ers once a fortnight. The new clean through to the bone. For evening a crowd of more than service is to be more elaborate. a certain period this meat is all 1,000 made a fresh scene, calling The sirman is to fly from Paris light but the chilled meat, which for Lieutenant von Forstner and to Nio, taking with him a big is only slightly cooled is also giving the appearance of intendmail, and coming down on the v.ry good. Now, for instance, ing to lynch him. The Colonel way at Nevers, Lyons, and Or-suppose we take Hongkeng as a of his regiment and the Burgoange, at each of which towns he point of shipment to the Philip master could not proify the crowd. will drop one sack of letters and pinos of chille! must Arrange- and the police and gendarmerie take on board another for the ments could be made at the were helpless until at last the fire south. From Paris to Nico by slaughter houses there to have brigade was called out. are is 465 miles, but the detours the cattle killed and the shipper. The firemen at first refused to the air postman will make will could take the ment to the by jurn their hoses on the crowd. prolong his journey to 525 miles. here, only about a handred and then directed them so that He will leave Puris at 8 a.m., the yards distant, and place it on the water came down like rain, mails being brought to the flying lighters with chill rooms aboard, and the crowd protected itself by ground at Issy-les M ulineaux Then, when the steamer with chill putting up umbrellas. The infrom the head rost office by rooms which was to take the ment terventim of the firemen also have 83 hours before sunset in a uld be put alongside and the crowd out the hose. It was only which to complete his journey. meat transferred. It is only three when a company of soldies was days to the China coast port and I brought out wi hi aded riff-s and biplane of 100 horso-power cap; the most would then come to this had made several arrests that port in excellent shape and a peace and order were restored. at landil most supply for the The non-commissioned efficer

act have to endury long, either, half-sovereign was recognized in aware of it, the number of catalegiane, and the e "indescribably" of the inlands is increasing by mishandled. The semi-official leaps and bounds. We have kept report goes on to say that in cona careful o nsus of the cattle of requence of the extreme excite-How often it is said that we the islands and I can safely say ment military persons are throughestimates are not exaggerated, said ora have been forbidden to ing most of the meat there and attacked by "a rowdy" they ing else, they are more elaborate, I have, no hesitation in saying months' imprisonment for stabbapringy, and the whole cut has here now at an even greater rate would not have been sentenced

Anti-Opium Operations.

tainly has an influence. and Anshun districts

THE ZABBRN AFFAIR.

Fuel Details of Strange Incident.

The Times prints the following "After all is a it and done telegrams regarding the Zabern tically as you like-the true and reported to have taken place at proper solution in the Philippines Zibern in Alesce, a town of about is the killing of the cattle at the 10,000 inhabitants which lies beport of origin and the bringing tween Strassburg and Metz. As he ment chilled to the islands. upon many previous occasions of This is the kind of meat being sensational occurrences in Alsace consumed by most of the people or Lorraine, the first news reachdon't mean by this that frezon papers." These reports were disgraph Agency issues a detailed The above is the principal idea story from Zabern in the evening. Tay-for regarding the situation port a lieutenant in an Infantry "What do you think about per- local expression for a native

(Forstner) would give him half a "Well, I think that they may |-overeign. A non-commissioned

and menacing that Forstner "Frozen meat is meat which telephoned for protection and

to Manila, came in, these lighters proved ineffective because the

who was reported to have offered "But this state of aff airs would to ad t a Thaler to the lieuten in the

There were fresh disturbances on Nov. 10 at Zabern, in Alsace. According to the Frankfurter Zeitung the schooll chidren jeered at the Colonel of Lieutenant von Forstner's regiment, and

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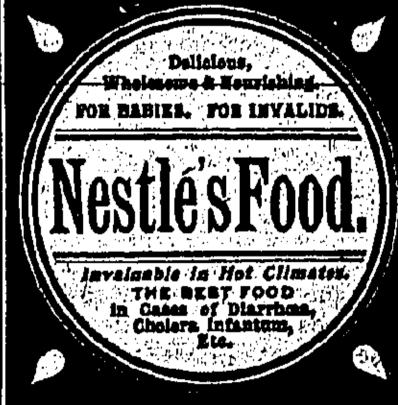
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ROBERTS-At the Matilda Hospital, on December 18, Edward Arthur Roberts, of the Chinese Customs, Pakhoi, Age 57.

The Wongkong Telegraph.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1913.

EDUCATIONAL DEFECTS IN CHINA.

Dr. Charles W. Eliot, forcer President of Harvard University, who visited Asia in 1912, has presented to the Trustees of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace a report on the observations made in China and Japan entitled "Some Roads Towards Peace." Dr. Eliot spent only a few months in China but his report nevertheless contains much that is valuable and stimulating. These were months well spent. One is particularly attracted by his observations on education among the Chinese where he points to the fact that that education has always been quite exclusively literary and urges that as a fault. For over two thousand years that fault has obtained in China. No other race in the world has shown a higher appreciation of the value of education. It has made prolonged intellectual training the only possible avenue to official position But throughout-those-twenty conturies the quality of that literature has remained unchanged. It has been a study and memorizing of classics with some small additions of a historical and not a physical nature.

The weakness of such a system of education is that the scholar knows nothing of manual training, for one thing, of the inductive method for another, has not a knowledge of western sciences, and has not been trained to out-of-door sports or to take hodily exercise. Not until quite recently did the Chinese realise that there was such a thing as a mind made counder by reason of a sound body; and, ngainst the "Craigengower C. C. even though the value of exercise has been recognised, in some de- on Saturday on the H.K.C.C. gambling at High Street, West all persons properly qualified to gree, no serious attempt has been made to remedy the defect.

Dr. Eliot boldly claims that the "physical and mental in- $\frac{2}{10}$ capacity of an educated class which has been brought up without athletic sports and out-of-door exercise, without experience in army or navy service, and without knowledge of the applied sciences, is plainly visible in the China of to day."

The grave consequence of this method of education and of the resulting qualities of the educated class are strongly illustrated in the present political situation of the country. The popular respect for education makes a high educational qualification for the suffrage seem entirely natural and proper; and explains the fact that a few thousand young, educated Chinese were able enlist hundreds of thousands off. A friendly match way, howilliterate but patriotic soldiers in the cause of the revolution. ever, played with H.M.S. llamp-

The Republic desires to break with all these educational and racial traditions, says Dr. E'iot, though it must have time to effect scored. so great a change. We should hope that Dr. Eliot is wrong in using the word "all." The Republic could not well do anything more foolish, what is wanted is to have the test traditions of Chinese education preserved and to have engrafted to them the best of applied sciences, the while the physical side of education is developed; So far as the Republic has gone no serious effort has yet been made was paid on the 11th November. in this direction; but, at least, it is something gained that a young As on previous cousions the and educated Chinese may now take an interest in athleto: without being regarded as having done something beneath his dignity. The rest will come in time.

Considerate" Neighbours.

It does not follow that because four or five men decide for the habitation of a peaceful civizen THE FIRST SIGN OF PENITENCE." linto an unlicensed music hall. Anyhow there are several instances of this in the one-time English Mail. Arrived per s.s. tranquil Kowloon. He is insufferable who cannot make occasional allowances for music, mirth and merriment, but when the amusement exceeds the bounds of common decency. then a complaint is justified. Sib rian Mail. Closed Ler s.s. Instances have come to our notice where messes run Europeans-not Eoglishmenhave been the theatre for singing and music playing until almost getting up time in the morning. Ortainly, this is not fair, and t at is saying the least of it.

The Public and Strikes,

The United Kingdom has had more than its share of strikes in the recent past, though if the perpotually discontented men to be found in every calling had their way, no doubt the evil would have to be suffered constautly. It is a hopeful sign, his sales rooms to morrow, com however, that the public is begin- mencing at 4 p.m., a large assorting to tire of these periodic up- ment of toys and dolls. vailing spirit of citizenship, and a told that the workers are being the healthiest sign of all, for with ment, it has small chances of Ho'el. Mr. Somerville is the Gensuccess. The working classes, says eral manager of the Straits Steam-Reuter, have been badly hit by ship Co., Singaporo, the strike. That is the gloomy side of the picture. But, all the same, they

England's Victory.

The first test match in South victory for the English team. An innings and 157 runs is a tremendous hammering for any test team to receive, but the magnitude Saturday. of the defeat was perhaps due partly to the fact that no play to on account of rain. The chances hom and this morning were fined how he secured five wickets Wood at the Police Court. or less than ten runs each, Barnes on his day, of course, requires no assistance from the weather gods. When he is bang in form he can trundle out the best team in the world for a small score. Hobbs and Douglas appear to have early found their form with the bit, but then Hobbs never seems to lose it. It is good to 898 that A.D. Nourse scored Africa's second innings. We re. Hougkong "Hotel to-night. member seeing him bit in Bri- Page 5. ain some seven or eight years ago, and he was then, as now, a the Miyazaki Maru and the big lior-hearted fighter, who Jeanara appear on Page 5. showed best in a tight corner.

LOCAL SPORT.

Hongkong Cricket Club Team.

The following will represent so. the H.K.C.C. in a friendly match (Captain), G. E. Aubrey, F. K. R. Kennedy, M. M. Mans, S. S. each. Moore, and T. E. Poarce.

A Football Friendly. Yesterday evening the Hong- Professor C. A. M. Smith kong Football Club were to have Tuikoo Professor, Hongkong Un played a team from H.M S. New- iversity will lecture at the Chicastle, but the game was odled nese Y. M. O. A., Bridges Street shire which resulted in a win for the sailors by the only goal

Boxer Indemnity Payment.

The arrears of the Boxer Indemnity for the month of October Chinese Government was able to meet this charge out of the surplus of the Customs re enue.

DAY BY DAY.

four or five men decide for the "IF THERE IS TO BE REAL LOVE sake of economy and comfort, to BETWEEN ANY TWO PEOPLE THEY run a mess, they are to be 1 cr. MUST EACH BE SLOW TO TAKE of the mitted to convert the product ING, BUT GLAD TO PARDON AT

The Mails.

to-day.

Himalaya this morning. Canadian, American and Siberian Mails.—Left per ss. Em-

Ilimalaya at 4 p.m. -to-day. by Sibrian Mail.—Due 1 or s.s. Delta te-morrow.

Returned to the Colony.

Mrs. F. T. Chapple and children returned to the Colony from Europa yesterday by the s.r. Miyasaki Maru.

To Consignees.

Consignoes of cargo by the s.s. Moundnock are reminded that goods remaining undelivered after to-morrow will be subject

A Christmas Opportunity.

Mr. G. P. Lummort is selling at.

Diplomatic Changes. changes is the transference of M. Oharges, Queen's College :-Paillard, Chancellor at Hongkong, to take charge of the vice consul-

ate of Manila. ~Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Somerville.

institute of Engineers Ball. The invitations for the annual have themselves ball of the Institute of Engineers position in and Shipbuilders of Hongkong fin l themselves. have been issued. The bail tukes place on January 16.

Malini and the Engineers Institute.

Africa has ended in a handsome of Engineers and Shipbuilders of Public Works, Recurrent: Malini will give one of his per- Water Account, (Meters, etc.) formances at the Institute on \$1,500.

Keeper fined \$150.

Thirteen gamblers were caught speak of was possible on Tuesday in a house in Do_k Street Hungtre that the wicket yesterday the keeper of the house \$150 and suited Barnes admirably; any the rest \$1 each by Mr. J. R.

Possession of Banknotes.

A Chinese who is charged wilit | Kowloon: being in unlawful possession of a quantity of banknotes on Lan-Street,—General Works, \$5,000 tao Island, appeared before Mr. Drainage :- Miscellaneous Drain-Hazeland at the Police Court this lage Works, \$2,350, Total, \$7,350. morning and was remanded until Wednesday, next.

Latest Advertisements. Malini, the great magician, is

Consignces' notices concerning

Appointed to the Newcastle. Staff-Surgeon J. K. Raymond, who has just been appointed to public in some measure against the cruiser Newcastle, China Squadron, has been in the medical department of the Royal Navy persons: for just 15 years, and was promoted to his present rank seven years

Gamblers.

ground. Play is the immence at Point, were charged before Mr. perform dental operations. The p.m.-A. C. E. Elborough. Hezeland this morning at the qualification for encolment on the Police Court. The first and second Register as a Dental Surgeon will Brownrigg, C. C. Clarke, P. H. defendants were fined fifty dellars be prescribed by regulation. Cob , D. E. Donnelly, A. I. Guce, each and the rest two dollars In order to protect the rights o

Lecture on Submarines.

on Thursday 18th December at eight p.m. Professor Smith's subject will be Submarines.' The lecture will be illustratod with a number of lantern slides.

A Courageous Attempt.

Humane Spoiety have made the Colony; there exist many thousnivards :- Brooze medal to Fred- be able to afford payment for erick C. Waller, A. B. of H. M. S. the services of those qualified with Raw Opium. Sandpiper, for his courageous at professional men whose names tempt to save a companion who would appear on the Register, deals with Prepared Opium and fell overboard from the ship in nor does it seem reasonably the Canton River, China, on Sept. possible to suppose that there is

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

and shorting Ordinances with the said

Council was held this afternoon Chineso face to practise dontistry. the institution is being un as in the Council Chamber.

J. A. S. Bucknill, K.C... or effer his services as a Dental we may mention a report which Mr. A. G. M. Flotcher.

Mr. E. R. Hallifax.

Mr. McIlvaine Messer.

were referred to the Finance prisonment Committee:

A sum of \$17,000 in aid of the vote Public Works, Recurrent, moved the first reading of a Bill Hongkong, Maintenance of Build-entitled "An ordinance to amend afraid to reprimand the recal-

A sum of \$930 in aid of the to opium' vote Elucation, A- Department Amongst French diplomatic of Direction, of Education, Other Language Bonus, -900; Lan-Bill are as follow: -guage Study Allowance (Chinese) | It having been decided that the

and Rainstorm Damages.

vote Public Works, Recurrent, it has become desirable to recess New Territories," Communica- the law which at present obtain tions, Maintenance of Telephones, relative to cpium in order

vote Police and Prison Depart of the change. The present law ments, A, Police, Other Char- is contained in the Opium Orges, Secret Service.

Hongkong and the Phoenix Club, Hongkong, Water Works.

[Total, \$3,000. vote Public Works, Extraordinary, ly, that which deals with Mor-Hongkong, Buildings, Stable for phine and Compounds of Mor- lancous matters,

No. 1 Police Station. A snin of \$7,350 in aid of the vote Public Works, Extraordinary,

Communications : Roads and

Dental Surgeons Bill. The Hon. Attorney General moved the first reading of a bill exclusive privileges. entitled "an ordinance to provide nearly half the runs in South giving a performance at the for the registration of qualified Denial Surgeons and otherwise to regulate the practice

> In the objects of and reasons for the bill, the Hon. Attorney

The object of this Ordinance is to endeavour to protect the the practice of destintry by to delete entirely from the Bill beiliappeu baa inqualified

The Bill contemplates the estalishment of a Register of Denta Surgeons which shall be published annually in the Gazette and Twenty-five men obarged with and shall contain the names, of

> any persons who may by long practice have acquired suitable proficiency in the subject without definite abademic degree, the Bill enables certificates of exemption to be granted to such persons which will enable them to continue to earn their living in the manner in which they have hitherto done.

it seems impossible to interfere with the practice of dentistry by Ohinese persons in view of the The committee of the Royal very large population of the following, among many other, ands of persons who would not at present or is likely to be in the

immediate future a sufficient number of properly qualified dentists adequate to meet the Oplum and Dentistry: Important | wants of the masses of the

inhabitante of the Colony. For

ment, Hon. Mr Claud Severn. tions it is laid down in the Bill to indicate that the Gaol is merely H. E. Major-General F. H. Kelly. that no person other than a a temporary retreat from worldly The Hon. Colonial Secretary, registered Dental Surgeon or cares for our criminal population, The Hon. Registrar General, fiel in any way to perform dental shout across from one corridor to operations; this restriction is of another to their fellow-inmates. The Hon. Capt. Supt of Police, course applicable to all persons | Another report, if it be true, is (except professional medical men) even more serious still. We liave The Hon, Mr Wei Yuk, C.M.G. who are not on the Register as heard of cases in which prisorers The Hon. Mr. H.E. Pollock, K.O. Dental Surgeons or exempted have refused to do, the work The Hon Mr Lau Chu Pak. | persons. The penalty for contra- alloted to them and have not been Mr.R. II. Crofton, Clerk to the vention of this prohibition against punished for their conduct. This the use of misleading titles by applies, we understand, more

Opium Bill. The Hon. A ttorney General

The Hon Colonial Secretary

seconded. The objects and reasons of the

to Assistant Master, \$30. Total, Government shall, on the expiration on the 1st day of March, A sum of \$4,000 in aid of the 1914, of the existing Agreement vote Public Works, Recurrent, with the Opium Farmer assume of the opium business hitherto A sum of \$1,500 in aid of the leased out to private individuals. adapt it to the altered condition A sum of \$8,000 in aid of the which will easue in consequence dinance, 1909, as printed in the A sum of Three thousand Dol- Revised E lition of the Ordinances In connection with the Institute lare (\$3,000) in aid of the vote as a mended by the Opium Amendment Ordinance, 1913.

The existing Ordinance, after defining the meaning of cortain Kowloon, Water Works. Main- parts: firstly, that which deals which deals which Prepared regrettable state of alleirs. A sum of \$1.660 in aid of the Opium and Dross Opium; third- legal procedure, powers of seizure Sinitary Department adjoining phine; and lastly, that which llegal procedure and those penal provisions which are necessary for the execution or enforcement of the law. Some considerable porthe establishment and mainten- Health and Buildings Ordinance, ance of the relations between 1903,:---Government and the Opium

Breadly speaking the present Bill follows the existing law in of the Public Health, and Build. arrangement and in principle but besides omitting much of the existing Ordinance which relates solely to the rights enjoyed by is hereby smended by the insertthe Opium Farmer, it introduces certain amplifications and literntions to which it is necessary to call specific attention.

In the first place it is proposed the third part of the existing mises be suffering from plague, Ordinance which refers Morphine and Compounds of Opium and to include these substances within the ambit of the Pharmacy laws for which purpose a Bill will be submitted shortly to the Legislative Council.

Secondly, the Bill contains a number of temporary provisions forthwith furnish the Medical grouped together in Part IV providing for those necessary details involved in the transference from name of such inmate and the the Opium Farmer to the Govern- situation of such premises. Such ment of the undertakings carri on by the former.

tioner shall be entitled to receive. Thirdly, it is endeavoured to on application to the Secretary. make move effective the control the sum of \$1 for each and every over Riw Opium in its importation into, movements within and exportation from the Colony. Lastly, the penalties are slight.

ly altered, being in some cases of, unanimously by the Sanitary technical contravention of the Board. law diminished and in other cases of more serious bre ches enhanced. The Bill is divided into four parts, after the usual preliminary formal definitions: Part I, (sections 5 to 18), deals

Par II. (sections 10 to 34) Dross Opium. Part III is the general part OUR GAOL.

Serious Reports, of Lack of Discipline.

this reason the Bill provides that I fall we hear about the manage-A meeting of the Legislative it shall be lawful for persons of ment of Victoria Gaol be correct, The Bill dees not apply in any anything but a place of Lunish-There were present:-H. E. the way to professional medical men. | ment. Reports which have recon-Officer Administering the Govern- Apart from the above limita- ed us would, indeed, appear.

press of Japan at noon Mr. A. M. Thomson. exempted person shall in any To show the utter lack of dis-The Hon. Attorney General, Mr. way what soever hold himself out cipline which is said to prevail, The Hon. Colonial Treasurer, Surgeon, Ductor or under any is current to the effect that at the other misleading appellation or present time prisoners are per-The Hon. Director of Public title which would indicate that he mitted to correspond one with the Works, Mr W. Chatham. C.M.G. is licensed or authorized or quali- other, and are even allowed to

> unqualified persons is a heavy particularly to the printing, book-The following financial minutes line and the possibility of im- binding and carpentry departments, and the explanation, we are told, is due to the fact that these departments have so much work in hand that the officials are and consolidate the Laws relating citrant gaol-birds in case such action should interfere with the

completion of work in hand. It is further stated that persons in gaol on remand awaiting trial are accomodated in the same wards as short-term prisoners, which, of course, is absolutely

against prison rules. Another allegation is that certain foreign convicts are given something like preferential treatment. It is said that they are not asked to carry out their nightsoil buckets like other prisoners and that they alone are allowed to wear sandals, while Portuguese and Chinese prisoners run about barefooted. We are told, again, that the food and water and tea ting are, speaking generally, in bad condition and that some cells are without tea or watertine. We recall mentioning this matter last year, when a similar report reached us.

If these allegations be correct; terms, is divided into four main a wceful lack of discipline prevails in the Gaol, and we wonder tenanc of Water Works, 1,500, with Raw Opium; secondly, that who is responsible for such a

and arrest, penalties and miscel-

Part IV comprises the tempordeals with the administrative and ary provisions to which reference has already been made.

The Hon. Colonial Secretary moved that the Council approve the following by-law made under tion of the existing law deals with Section 16 of the Public

Notification of Infectious Dis-Farmer in connection with his ease: -By-law No. 1 of the Notification of Infectious, Disease By-laws made under Section 16 inge Ordinance, 1903, and published at page 475 of the Regulation of Hongkong, 1910, ion of the words "paratyphoid fever" between the words "relapsing fever" and "or" in the second line thereof. The by-law as amended will read as follows. "1 -If any inmate of any preto cholera, small-pox, diphtheria, scarlet fever, typhus fever, enterio fever, relapsing fever, paratyphoid fever, or puerperal fever, and if such inmate be under the care of a legally qualified and registered medical practitoner the said medical practitioner shall Officer of Health with a notification thereof in writing stating the

> such notification." In moving approval of the bylaw, the Colonial Secretary said the amendment had been passed

legally qualified medical practi-

The Hon. Attorney General seconded, and the amendment

was approved. A meeting of the Finance Committee was held and the recommendations set out above ap-

proved. Council then resumed and on the motion of the Colonial Seoretary; seconded by the Colonial Treasurer the voles were passed. dealing with administrative and Council then adjourned sinesis.

THE BANKOR PAILURES

The Situation Appears Brighter To-day.

Enquiries made to-day in busi. ness circles a uffirm the report which we l'ubiled exclusively Sir William Rees Davies, the that on some duy which she could your riay to the effect that a Club Justice, sitting in Oriminal not give particularly, but which origin's had arisen in Bungkok Jurisdiction, at the Supreme would be proved by another witoning to the failure of a number Court, this morning had before ness, she went cut with

Jesterday, it being stated that af ernoon to the house in which is use where they stayed two days, the Siamese Government is com- she lived in Water Street. There and then they went to another

Singapore crisis, followed up by other men. He admitted that he He asked her to allow the girls this trouble in Bangkok, as well stole one pair of bangles, but he to stay in the house for one as in face of the present low rate | "did not rob." of discount on Canton notes, His Lordship: Did he use some Uhineso commission agents violence to the child? man to-day that there will used. probably be some small failures His Lordship;—One pair of He had a stall in the same street before Chinese New Year. For bangles is the amount of the the moment, however, the outlank property stolen? is distinctly better than was The Crown Solicitor :- Yes. feared yesterlay, though money is tight. Extreme caution is be known against him before? ing exercised in Chinese business

SUBSCRIPTION GRIFFINS.

Result of Yesterday's Draw,

old hands confessed som: little for eighteen orden lar months. difficulty in saying which lorse was best. Not a few, however, are favourably impressed with the spotted roan which fell to the lot of Mr. H. Humphreys. This batch is the smaller half of the number subscribed for,

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Mr. A. V Apcar. 18 Blue Dun Messis M. S. Sag-19 Grey son and R A. Gubbay.

20 Dun : Major Dickinson, 21 Nutmeg Grey Mr. J. II Seth. 22 Grey, Hon. Mr. D. Lan-

dale. Mr. G. Friesland. 23 Black 24 Black Mesers. Fitz.

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China's Naval Stations.

The Ministry of the Navy is planning the erection of five neval stations: Pei-hai-ching (Kuangtung) San-sha-wan (Frochow). Heiang-shan-wan (Chekiang) Yungoheng (Shantung) and Hnlu-tao (Manchuria) Provinces.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

TWO DEFENDANTS PLEAD QUILTY.

Chief Justice and the King's Hospitall y.

defendant pleaded guilty. not definitely known, but it tor, said in this case he intended moon. Sho would tell them she TURKEYS in ge mills have closed down. charge, there being two. On say the prisoner and his mother

ing to the nid of the industry she met the prisoner coming down licuse. She would say that the affected. So far the only effect the stairs. Prisoner caught her prisoner took them from the first locally felt is the failure of one by the neck and beckoned to house after two days to the second Chinese firm which is said to another man who was down the house. A woman was in the have been closely connected with stairs. The other man came up second house at which they arrthe bank in Bangkok which has the stairs and took from the girl's ived on the third day. This had to suspend prymort. The wrist two pairs of gold mounted woman would say that on the liabilities of this firm are said to ratten bargles. The two men ranger of November 25, about FOR CHRISTMAS:

here are said to be feeling the The Crown Solicitor :- Beyond pinch somewhat, and the opinion putting his hand on the neck of the next day she tried to get the was expressed by one gentle- the child, there was no violence

The Crown Solicitor: Yes, said he would come later circles at present, and though my Lord; one previous conviction on. The next thing that hapapprehensions are felt in certain of one year's hard labour for the pened was on the 26 h, when quarters, there is a general belief offence - s'erling from the person. about half past two, information that the storm will be weathered. I am instructed that this offence having been received by the has been rather common recent-

scription griffing were drawn for, mitted that was the second oc-Shanghai prior to being sent he otherwise would have suspicious of anything untoward goods sold and delivered. Mr

ment with having returned from one. He asked her who kidnarbanishment.

hard labour for larceny.

pleaded guilty to returning from satisfied with the story of the banishment. You have been ex- protecution, they would have no Mr. R. D. Harvey pelled from the Co'ony, and you difficulty in finding him guilty. From EUROPE, COLOMBO a.m. have set the order at defiance and Evidence was then called supcome back again. Under these porting the statement of the THE Company's Steamship circumstances it is right you Crown Solicitor. should enjoy the King's hos-

Child Stealing.

feloniously and unlawfully, by gu lty of an offence which in this Kowloon Wharf & Godown Comforce, detaining two little girls of Colony was looked upon as a very pany's Godowns at Kowloon, the name of Wong, under the serious one, and one that was where each consignment will be age of fourteen, with intent to dealt with as severely as it sorted out mark by mark and delideprive the father of the girls of bould possibly by. It was a very can be obtained as soon as their lawful custody and posses- disgraceful thing that parents the Goods are landed.

The jury was then sworn as ing in tading to children to that NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. follows: Mossrs J. Smirke, W. way. He would be sent to used. Agents.

and J. Oruickshank.

amount to some half a million away, but the prisoner was iden- len o'clock, the prisoner brought tified by the girl and he was the two girls to her house which As a consequence of the secent picked out from a number of was in Lower Lascar Row. and she had known him for eight liis Lordship: - Anything coming in and she wanted the girls taken away. Prisoner

police, Sergeant Cashman, on the His Lordship, addressing the in Lower Lascar Row, and found the two girls there. The woman guilty to this offence of stealing was also there, but the prisoner from the person of this little girl, was not there. The prisoner was Yesterday twenty-five sub- a poir of bangles. He had ad- sent for, came in, and was arrestat Kennedy's Horse Repository, casion upon which he had been for by Sergeant Cashman he came Gompertz, Yuen, Sze hing was for next year's race meeting. The guilty of this kind. It was there- in with something in his hande, the plaintiff in an action against fact that the ponies have to pass, fore his duty to pass upon him a polishing it, and that fact per- the Kwong Sang Wo, for the sum

"The King's Hospitality"

Defendant plended guilty. binishment order was made out sending them to their parents. against the prisoner on August It was for the july to say, said 29, and on September 1, he left the Crown Solicitor, whether they Kadoorie, the Colony under that banish believed that story or not, or ment order. On the 24th ult, he whether the story of the pro-Humphreys, was arrested on another charge secution was made out. Against which was afterwards refused, but believing the defendant's state-Hugher&Purvis. when he was at the station Le was ment was the fact alleged by the 5 Spotted Grey Mr. Mac Murtrie. recognised by the inspector as a prosecution that the two girls were

Rowe, O. Zwanck, J. M. Gulion

Prisoner was undefended. The Crown Selicitor said pone indictment related to one girl and the other to the other girl. One girl was 13 and the other 12. of rice mills and a back in which bim indicted, Lam Kee, for her younger sister enting Siamese and Chinese capital is larceny from the person. The grass near their village in China, The number of filures is Mr. J. H. Kemp, Crown Solici- them off, taking them to Kong-

Advices from Bangkok to-day November 4, the complainant, a brought her and her sister down to show that the position is girl about 14 years, came home to Hongkong. They arrived here that night and they went to a Register

night. The prisoner said he had no place for the girls and could not keep them in the street. The prisoner to take the girls away. or ten years. The told the prisoner that someone else was

have improved the class of pony was that he would be kept in in answering the charge at the Russ, appeared for the plaintiff, haptening to him. The prisoner Rues, of Messrs Goldring and THE H.A.L. chartered S'eamas a whole and one or two of the imprisonment with hard labour police station said that he met the girls on the On Lee steamer wharf and he knew they belonged Chun Sing, a Chinese with an to a village next to his; in fact alias, was charged on an in lict- be slightly identified the elder ped her flown, but the man could

The Crown Solicitor said a him to his home. He intended

man who had been banished, not met here on the steamer Richardson. The finger prints corresponded, wharf by the prisone, but were and showed he was the same man. brought down by him from Kong-The only conviction against the moon and taken by him to the prisoner was one of six weeks' house where they were found." If that story was true the prisoner's NIPPON His Lordship: - You have story was untrue, and if they were

At the conclusion of the pitality for a period of twelve evide ce the jury returned a baving arrived from the above exss. Bydgo from Drammen

verdict of guilty.

should be deprived of their child- Optional goods will be carried Prisoner:—I have had them ren by men of the prisoner's class. on unless instructions are given but I was intending to hand them lie did not think there could be TO-DAY. over to their father. Any doubt in the minds of the Goods not cleared by the 24th or not. Did you take these two ren. The prisoner was a man apchildren, that is the point?

Prisoner:—I do not plead get his living in an honourable similated after the goods have left guilty to that.

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> ind Mr. Russ for the defondants, After hearing the evidence his signed by the Undersigned. Lordship gave judgment for the plaintiff in the first action, and for the plaintiff in to e second action, in the latter case, less third dollars.

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shipbuilding firms are now conlucting operations in Canada. ind, so far as the construction of warships is concerned, the Dumiion will soon be self-contained. At Sydney, Cape Breton, for instance, Mesers. John Brown and O., Clydebank, and the Firfield Company, Govan, are intrested in a syndicate which is preparing o build vessels as lirge as the Dreadnought typs. Me-ara. lammell, Laird, and Co., of Birkenhead, are credited with the the intention of creating a yard t St. John, N.B., where a big port improvement scheme is being sarried out by Mesers. Norton Griffiths and Co., while at Monreal Mesers. Vickers, Limited, of B rrow, will soon be in a position to accept orders for almost any kind of craft. On the scuth shore of the St. Lawrence, opposite. Montreal Me s s. Armtrong, Whitworth, and Co., of E swick, are laying down one of the largest steel plants on the North American continent, and ey are to give arecial attention to the manufacture of castings, forgings, shafting, lock-gates, and £96.10. barges. The head of the firm of over, on a visit to Canada, and it is said that the erection of works it Esquimault of Victoria is conemplated, and perhaps, also in me of the maritime provinces.

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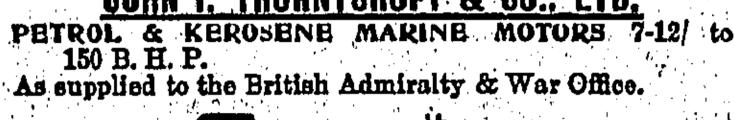
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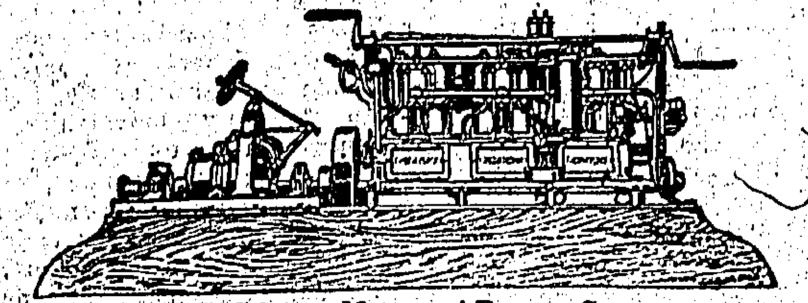
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The I. C. S. N. E.E. ONBANG, from Pasolrolau, is due at Hongkong on the

from London passed the canal 18th Nov

and is due at Hongkong on the 25th Dec.

The S. L. E.S. MONMOUTHSHIRE

The S.L. c.s. DEN OF GLAMIS from

Seattle is due at Hongkong on the 28th

The S. L. s.s. SOLVEIG from Seattle

expected here on or about the 31st of

The Ben Line s.s. BENLAWERS, from Antwerp, Middlesbro London left Singa-

pore for this port on the 11th instant, and

may be expected to arrive here on or about

The Mogul Line s.s. GHAZEE from

The H.A.L. M.S. BRASILIA left Shang-

The Pr and O. s.s. NYANZA is expected

to arrive at Colombo on the 24th Instant,

The H.A.L. a.s. ISTRIA left Shanghai

Canal on the 9th instant, and is due here

The R.V.F. s.s. VORONEJ, homewards, left Valdivostok on the 12th instant; and

is due to arrive here on the 27th instant.

on or about 6th January.

hal on the 15th instant, a.m. and may be

expected here on or about the 18th

is due at Hongkong on the 3rd Jan.

VESSELS ADVERTISED TO DEPART TO-MORROW.

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CANADIAN MAIL.

The C. P. R. s.s. MONTEAGLE left

Vancouver on the 11th p.m.

AMERICAN MAIL.

The se. CHINA sailed from Yokohama Friday 12th instant, at moon for Horr-kong, via Manila. The United States mails have been transferred to to Nippon Yused Kaisba's s.s. KAGA MARU which is scheduled to arrive at Hongkong on the 21st instant.

AUSTRALIAN MAIL

The I. G. M. s.s. PRINZ SIGISMUND left Sydney on the 13th instant, at 11 a.m. and may be expected here on or about the 5th of January.

Yokohama on the 16th inst. between 8 to 4 p.m., via Manila. The United States mails have been transferred to the Canadian Pacific Railway's "Empress of Russia, which is scheduled to arrive at Hongkong on the 23rd instant.

The L.G. M. s.s. LUTZOW carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 26th: of November left Colombo on the 14th instant, p.m. and may be expected here on or about the 25th instant.

MERCULANT STEAMERS.

(Enropean Line.) left London for this port via ports on the 22nd ult. and is expected here on the 31st December.

The N. Y. K. s.s. PENANG MARU (Bombay Line) left Bombay for this port via Singapore on the 30th November, and is expected here on the 18th December.

The N.Y.E. s.s. KANAGAWA MARU. (Calcutta Line.) left Calcutta for this port, Sung. Klang. Br. a.s. G. Robinson, 11th via ports on the let instant, and is expected here on the 20th instant.

The N. Y. K. s.s. IYO MARU (European Line.) left London for this port via London on the 6th December, and is expected here on the 14th Jan.

The N.Y.K. s.s. AWA MARU (American

on the 5th Jan. The N. Y. K. ... YOKOHAMA MARU (American Line.) left Kobe for this port on the 12th instant, and is expected here

on the 21st December.

The N.Y.K. as. KIRIN MARU (Calcutta Line.) left Calcutta for this port on the 12th instant, and is expected here on the

1st January. The N. Y. K. e.s. HAKATA MARI Unioutta Line.) left Yohohama for this

port via ports on the 13th instant, and is expected here on the 25th instant.

The American and Manchurian Line s. KANDAHAR left New York on the 25th October and is due here on or about

Steamers.

Erviken, Norwegian s.s. 1,344, Angensen, 3rd December-Swatow

Rice--- B. & S. The N. Y. K. as. KITANO MARU Bencleuch, British s.s. 2,950, G. McMillon, 5th instant-Singapore 30th inst. General-G. L. & Co.

Australia, Russian s.s. 2,264, O Trodoroff, 7th Instant-Shanghal 3rd Inst., B. and Co.

inst.-Halphong, Gen.-B. & S. Lycaon, Br. s.s. 4.818, J. Walker, 11th Gen.---B. S. Paklat, Geriss. J. Wenzel, 11th inst,-

Salgon 5th instant, Meal & Rice. | Anne. Kachidata Maru, Jap. s.s. 2,129, Matsubars, 11th inst.-Milke 5th inst. Line.) left Seattle for this port vin ports Kum Chow, Br. s.s. 1,450, J. A. Martin, on the 6th instant, and is expected here 12th inst.—Java, 2nd inst. Sugar Coal-M. B. K.

-Chinese Harnwasan Maru, Jap. ss. 2,194,Gilliesple. 12th instant-Mororan, 30th ult. Coal-M. B. K.

The LC.S. N. a.k. YATSHING from Ceylon Maru, Jap. s.s. 3,142,77 Moguchi Singapore is due at Hongkong on the 12th instant—Hobe 7th Instant. Gen-N. Y. K.

Eastern, Br. s.s. 9,879, JF. Carter, 19th The LOS. N. ER FAURANC from instant Sydney, 19th ult., Gen. Pasoirolan is due at Hongkong on the 31st -G. L. & Co.

Monadnock, Br. 2,791, W. Wilson, 11th Hongwan I Br. as 2,000, 12th inst.— Singapore 5th inst. Gen.—J. F.

The S. L. s.s. MERIONETHSHIRE Kield, Nqm. s.s. 910, T. Helleso, 12th inst. -Bungkok, 30th ult. Rice-A. T. & Co,

Koomun, Br. a.s. 9,067, T. H. Collister. 12th inst. Singapore 7th inst from London passed the canal 25th Nov Gen. B. & S. and is due at Hougkong on the 27th Dec. Chinking, Br. s.s. 1,229, G. 13th instant 18th instant-Bangkok 5th inst. Rice---Chinese.

Halvard, Nor. s.s. C. Book, 11th Instant,-Lamarany, let Instant, Sugar-Hein Kang, Chi. s.s. 1,269, Halkitt, 14th instant---Tientsin, Gen.--C. M. Port Said on the 5th inst., and may be Instant Barrens Ath Instant instant-Bangkok, 8th instant, Ris-Thoresen & Co. Pitsanulok, German s.r. 1,267/W. Tanbert

14th instant -- Bangkok 5th inst. Rice--- B. & B. Daiten Maru, Japan s.s. 2,834, H. Naka; gawas, 14th instant. Samarang, Sugar---Buno Samsen, German. s.s. 998, Fr. Buccking, , 14th instant Bangkok 4th inst. United Kingdom left Singapore yesterday Rice-B. & S. morning, and is therefore due Here on or Ichang, Br. s.s. 122,8, Shune. 24th Instant

C. W. Tao, 9th inst. Coal-B. & Dalya Maru, Jup. 82. 1,735, Tokabaki 14th Instant-Moll, 8th Instant, Coal

Lai Bang, Br. s.s. 1,900, E. J. Tadd, 14th instant -- Moji, 9th Instant, Coal --- J. M. & Co

Kamakura Maru, Jap. s.s. 3,798 T. Horl.
15th instant.—Moji, 10th instant,
Gen.—N. Y. K. on the 16th instant, at noon and may be Africa, Aug. s.g. 2,349, V. Irancich, 15th expected here on or about the 19th inst., instant-Shanghni, 13th instant, Gon.-H. & Co.

The s.s. GLENROY passed the Suez Ship Shing, Br. s.s. 1,199, T. M. Meyrick 15th instant, Tientsin, 8th instant Gen .- JM & Co. The R. V. F. s.s. TAMBOV, Home- Loongsang, Br. s.s. 1,339, W. G. G. Leach, wards, will leave Shanghai on the 17th 15th instant, --- Manila 12th inst. wards, will leave Shanghai on the area instant, afternoon, and is expected to arrive here on the 21st instant, Sunday Tango Maru, Jap. s.s. 2,475, M. Yishinaga morning.

15th instant---Manila 12th inst...

Gen---N. Y. K.

Montcalm, Fr. Cruiser 9,600, C. de Balin-Tungshing, Br. s.z. 1,172 L. F. Hussey. 16th instant,...-Salgon 11th inst. Rice.--Chinese. Ohthli, Br. s.s. 1,158, McIntos, 15th inst -Amoy, 14th instant, Gen -B.

Devawongse, Br. s.s. 1,041, Shearer 15th instant—Salgon 11th inst. Rice --- A. Bune. Hanoi, Brench, s.s. 710, Le Chevaller, 15th instant...Halphong, 10th; instant Gen...A.R. Marty. Lacrice, Br. s.s. 1,340, Wawn, 15th inst. ---Balgon, 10th instant General----Wo Fat Sing Borneo, Br. s.s. 2,119, P. S. Ram, 16th inst.

London, 1st ult, General---P. and December, Ballust—A. T.
Changehow, Br. s.s. 1,203, H. Trowbridge, Ningpo, Br. s.s. 1,228, T. W. Pichard, 15th
5th December—Saigon 29th Dec., instant—Amoy, 15th instant---Amoy, 15th instant Ballast---B. and B. Itsukushima Maru, Jap. 2,945, Bando, 16th. instant-Freemantle, 18th ult., Sandal Wood-M.B. K.

Hitachi Maru, Japanese s.s. 4.163, T. Chiyo Maru, 7,250, William W. Greene, Yamawuki. 6th ult.—London 16th instant—San Francisco 16th November, Gen.—T. K. K. Lauchow, British s.s. 1,232, S. Moukman, Haiching, Br. s.s. 1,267, Passmore, 17th instant—Shanghai General—instant—Foochow 16th instant, Miyazaki Maru, Jap. s.s. 5,870, K. Soyeda,

17th instant --- Antwerp and Nov., Gen .-- N. Y. K. Chi Yuen, Chinese a.s., 1,177, U. Legge, 17th instant—Shanghai Gen.—O. M. S. N. Co. instant -Singapore 6th instant, Daigi Maru, Jap. s.c. 847, B. Takushige, 17th instant-Tamsui 14th inst. Gon.-O. S. K.

Nar. s.s. 1,017, T. Arntzin, 16th instant-Bangkok 8th instant. Rico .-- K. T. L. ... Hampshire, Br. Cruiser, 10,880, R., M. H.il, 17th instant-Manila Choy Sang, Br. s.s. 1,424, Courtney, 17th instant--- Swatow, 16th instant, Gen---J. M. & Co.

Kulechow, Br. s.s. 1,037, Forsyth, 17th inst .-- Tientsin, 11th instant, Gen. --- B. & S.

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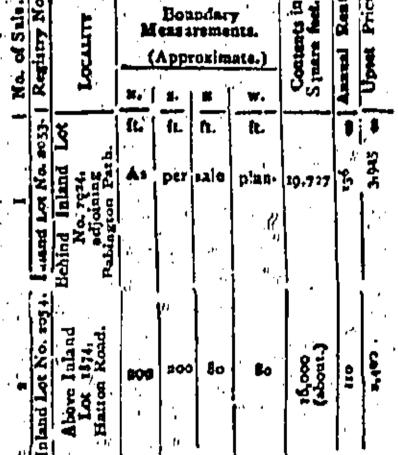
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Co. Ltd. No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected.

No Claim will be recognised after the Goods have left the Steamer or Godown, and all goods remaining in Godown undelivered edon unless intimation is received Graham O' on 19th inst., will be subject to

rent. All chafed and otherwise dammaged Cargo must be left on board cor Godown and examination of same to be held on 19th inst, at

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may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forward- LEF ed on unless information is re- Cornelinssen Mrs" ceived from the Consignees before Curry, G.P. noon to-day requesting it to be Clarke W E

landed here. No claims will be admitted after | Chevallier-Boutelle the Goods have left the Godowns, and all goods remaining nudelivered after the 18th of Dec.,

will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and lamaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 18th of Dec., at 9.30 a m.

All claims must reach us before Dawson Miss the 25th of December, 1913, or Dewar Miss they will not be recognized... No Fire Insurance will

effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the undersigned.

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THE Stremship

MARU."

The above named Steamer baving arrived. Consignees of cargo Grisogono. P D de are hereby notified to send in their Gould, Mr & Mrs J PARTICULARS OF THE LOT. Bills of Lading for countersigna- Graham CA ture, and to take immediate Hannibal, delivery of cargo from alongside. Howett, Hon, Mr E Well L. Cargo remaining undelivered on A, C M G THURSDAY the 18th Dec., 1913 Hind, W B will be landed at Consignees Hall, Capt T P risk and expense and delivery Hanbe W M must then be taken from the Hart B

Company's Godown, No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected.

No claim will be recognise: after the goods have left the Steamer or Godown, and all goods remaining undelivered on 24th Budge W December, will be subject to Cargill F J

rent and landing charges. All chafed and otherwise damaged Cargo must be left on board Cook Miss or Godown and examination of Curry Dr J H same to be held on 23rd Dec. at Curtis J.C. l 10 a.m.

All Claims must be filed on or before 31st December, other- Donaldson W.A. wise they will not be recognised. Douglas J. H. 8. MORIMOTO,

Hongkong, 16th Dec., 1913, [10?7] Oagor Mrs A.B.

SAGERIES MARITIMES

s.s, "PAUL LECAT."

Consignees of Cargo from Lon-

don ex. s.s. "Basque" Consignees of Cargo from Bordeaux ex. s.s. "Ville de Dunkerque" .In connection with above Steamer are hereby informed that their goods with the exception of Opium Treasure and valuables are being landed and stored at Abrahams, Mr & Mrs Maddicks Mr & Mrs their risk into the hazardous and Barr

or extra hazardous Godowns of Barlow the Hongkong Kowloon Wharf & Cooke Godown Co., Ltd. at Kowloon Craw, Mr and Mrs whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwardfrom the Consignous before Frenck?

NOON TO-DAY requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be count- Hempeb, A orsigned by the Undersigned. Goods remained unclaimed after Keyt, Dr. 22nd inst. at Noon will be subject

to rent and landing obarge: All claims must be sent in to me on or before the 27th inst., or they will not be recognized. All damaged packages will be examined on 22nd Dec., 1913 at 10 OW

No Fire Insurate hea been S. C. DE BUSSIERRE, Cornell, W. A. Hongkong, 15th Dec., 1913, [1080]

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The November export of rubber from the F.M.S. was 2,801.60 tons, making a total of 20,853.03 tons during the eleven months of the year. This is an increase of .010.45 tons on the export during a similar period last year, The duty collected up to November, 1913, was \$1,300,078.11.

Silk Market.

During the past three weeks. the market has remained as dul as it could be. The position in J pan, where prices have been falling continuously, as well as the uncertainty in exchange have been responsible for the present state of affair in this trade. Prices in Shanghai have not dropped as much as in Japan, but still they have fallen considerably: especially for steam filatures. Even at current rates consumers ness, as they expect chesper pices in the fatu a. N. tive concumption of white silks continues to be good: hence Chinese dealers are not inclined to accept the low prices offered by foreign buyers There is a little business doing for India in yellow silks, but the narket on the whole is quiet. Tussah filatures are neglected. and there are no buyers even at iower prices. A small business

LINE (McGREGOR, is reported in tussah natives. German Trade with Australia.

Commenting upon the formation of the Stettin Traffic Company, as announced by the London Shipping Gazette, the Argus is of opinion that it means apparently the establishment of a third Capt., Jas McGillivray, will be line of steamers to run hot ween Australia and Germany, the new line being for cargo purposes. If the belief is correct that the Hamburg Amerika line is backing the

panding trade.

Rubber News.

Len 'or. Dec. 10. directors of United Temiang have agreed to accept half fees till the Company is in a position to pay dividends.

Linggi declare, 15 per cent. nterim and Selango: 25 per cent.

The share market is exceedingly quiet and rubber prices are dropping.

Piece Goods.

There is no improvement to report in this market either in clearances or new business.

The business of the week has been almost wholly confined to auctions, where the position was decidedly better. At the Kung Ping, where elightly more than the normal qua tities were put up, Greys and whites were firm, while fancies steady. At the Ewo the quantities were reduced about 10 per cent; grays were 1 to 3 per cent. better, whites were 1 to 2 per cent. up, and woollens and blacks were slightly easier. At the Yuen Fong all goods showed a decided improvement. Clearances of auction goods were extremely good.

Yarn Report. There was a sligh improveare not inclined to do any busi. ment in the market this week, says the N. . Daily News of

> the 18th inst. Business in about 2,000 bales is reported in Indian yarn, the buying being mostly for Szechuan and Newchwang. Prices show no change. The market in

> Bombay is quiet. A small business in about 1.000 bales is reported in Japanese yarn. As the Japanese are doing business with outports,

the market locally is dull. About 4,000 bales of local mill yarn are reported to have been sold this week. Clearances are also satisfactory. Prices p'il are reported to be as follow: 700 bales 14s. at Tis. 103: 1,500 bales light 14s. at Tls. 98: 500 bales heavy 16s. at Tis. 10611: 200 biles of 10s. Tis 93 and

200 bales of 124. at Tls. 054.

Freight, Mesars. Wheelock & Co s renew concern it indicates an active port for the fortuight ended pushing policy on the part of that December 10 states that cargo company, which is in correspon- bas been moving more freely dence with the recent announce- during the period from River ment with regard to the Far Ess. Ports and from the North in tern trade, in which the company anticipation of the closing of is now establishing a new line Tientsin, while local exports For Boston and New York via extending to Yokohama. Pre- also show some improvement. eumably, continues the Argue, Prospects for the homeward these developments are the out- berth to Europe are good. come of the differences between whereas Trans-Pacific trade is the Hamburg-Amerika line and very dull, now that the tea the Nord Deutscher Lloyd which sesson is practically finished. have arisen during the last few Conditions in the coastwise trade months in connection with the remain unchanged; if anything, Captain Hopley, will be despatch. Atlantic trade. From the point it has a downward tendency as of view of Australian importers, there are fewer orders now on the question of interest is whether hand; advices from the South the new venture is simply intend- are also very unfavourable, so ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., ed to obtain a share in the trade much so in fact that some vessels between Germany and Australia, recently fixed on time charter at or whether rate-cutting is likely handsome rates have been offered to resplication. The litter, however for subcharter for short periods oan hardly be regarded us pro- at heavy sacrifice. Prospect for bable as most steamship com- the China coasting trade cannot panies have had at some time or be called promising at the moother experience of the unsatis- ment. The next cargo-boats on factory nature of competition in this berth are as follow:-- Marrates. The trade between Ger-seilles, London and Antwerp. many and Australia has for a Sardinia (December 20) and good number of years past been Atacta Maru (December 26): conducted by the Nord Deutscher Havre, Bremen and Hamburg, Lloyd and the German-Australian Altmark (December 21); New line, both of which have provided. York via Suez, Indrakula an increasing amount of tonnege (January 3); Boston and New to meet the requirements of ex- York via Suez. St. Patrick (De. cember 19).

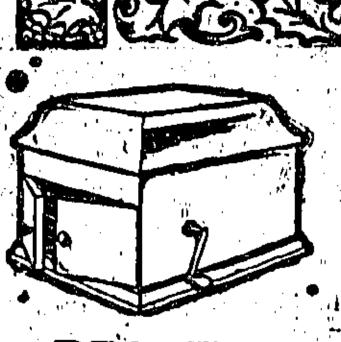
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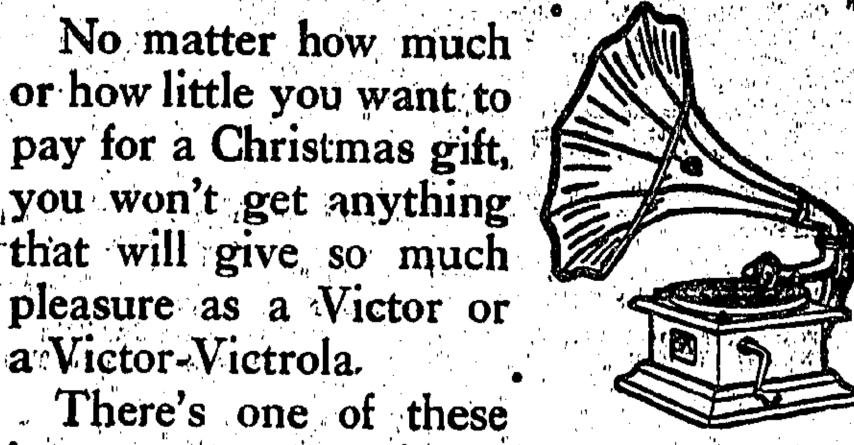
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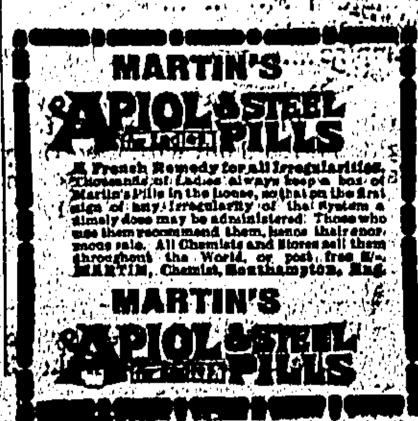
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A Story of a New Club

(CONTRIBUTED). A height sunny morning on a local links.

Rotund gentlemen with perspiring brow addressing caddie 'Just-er-wait a moment. I have some friends coming.

The cadala, with an eye on a heighboring stall where mysterlous compounds in baffling colours Rigided in a fat from no animal that over found protection in

by Avis, continues erecting a tes. The corpulant one becoming bross and throwing out his chest to indicate the growing ferceity of his comper. "Wait a monent which than you."

The Stddie waits:

Golfer commences calisthenies with a second-hand club.

top of the hill: - "Have you started?"

Golfer:-No. no. just-ertrying-er,-this new club.

Aim is taken at the ball, the club several times passing over its snowy head. He is just about to strike. (To the caddie):-" I am not-or,-playing this ballfollow me—do you savvy?

who is throwing stones at a bird. 'Does he understand you—er

--- savvy you?" The caddie node his head.

Once more the preliminaries are gone through with the club over the ball.

"Is it a good club?" chips in nervous system. the chirpy one as the ball is mucli-threatened destination.

eubdued.

Futther club gyrations are the the whole (93 per cent.) of the order of the moment. The golfer | phosphorus added to the diet in polish his eyes with his muffler:

haven't commenced yet, -er am just trying this club "(affecting tones that belong only to Guardsman or Harry Tate)

"Is it a good one?"

Turns round from the bal again and waggles the club in the air." Haven't tried it yet."

The caddie sees the humour of the situation and breaks his girdle have testified to the value of suppressing laughter.

fro and the ball appears to dwin- "Sanatogen has done everything dle from sheet fear as to its fate. for me which it is said to be able Another "till stretch and, "" I to do for cases of nervous debility say old chap just wait until I and exhaustion. I began to take come down will you-it is the it after nearly four years enforced custom you know," shouts a idleness from extreme debility. young officer as he runs down and felt the benefit almost imthe hill to the tee.

am not starting -- I only trying this new club. "Any good"? came

annoying query. "How the -do I know? I baven't tried it yet" and then he put his Sanstogen, write, mentioning this foot on the ball and the tee.

pf his irate client might develop will forward you a valuable booksomewhat in his direction com- let, entitled "The Ar of Living." mends to miterald the too, and the gratis and post free. bell appeared to open itself out. Sanatogen can be obtained of

donning the driver. Once mose have preliminariand the ball men a few yards

The git! With the chirpy voice regaining confidence: "Is it a Bood one ? "

Oh er,-er,-just middling-| certain station engineers in the only middling. (To the caddie) provinces have complained to Mr. Didn't I tell you to bring that Lloyd George that their turbine ball back?"

The cuddie completes the pheasants. hundred yards inside evens and the ball is returned.

The lady with the chirpy voice tries the club and puts the the ball in some bushes over a deep ditch exclaiming apologetically " "Oh, that was rotten."

"Why you didn't drive it? You SANDAKAN & SEBATTIK Jourdton, Kudat and Sandakan-Per out it,"was the admonition of the

golfer. A soa, ch is commenced for the ing for bunker coal exclusively ball. I left. The opponent went are exempt from all chipping into the club. He was trying dues and charges,

something else.

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As every organ of the down to the minutest part which composes it, is supplied by nerves which regulate its action, it is obvious that whenever anything ed to arrive here on the 23rd inst. goes wrong with the nerves all the organs of the body must suffer. That is why nervous disorders manifest themselves in so many different symptoms.

In a general way, the disturbances produced by a disordered nezvous system are of two kinds. There may be mental troubleshown by confusion of thought, less of memory, etc., or physical derangments which involve trembling, congulaions or even paralysig. When the brain is overstrained there may also be head. sche, insomnia, mental depression: inability to concentrate the mind A chirpy female voice from the for any length of time, irritability. explosive fits of temper, and easily induced fatigue as well as actual

physical weakness. Alarming as these symptoms are, they are primarily caused by Japan via Kobe-Per HALVARD, 19th the nervous system being drained of its most important constituent

—phosphorus. Thr Need of Phosphorus. What is needed to overcome bring it back when I hit it, do you these symptoms is a food rich in Tienteln, nourishment and rich in phos-The caddie sings out something phorus Ordinary phosphorus to a caddie a hundred yards away, preparations, however, are generally useless, for the body cannot assimilate the crude drug. The ideal preparation for these conditions is Sanatogen, which consists of pure casein chemically combined with that form of phosphorus

The Specific for Disorders. On this point, Dr. C. W. about to be dispatched to its Saleeby, the eminent medical author, writes: "When phos-"I don't know yet—haven't tried phorus is combined with other Batavia, it, have 1?" spluttered the golfer elements it is a valuable food. as he once more straightened his and is, indeed, absolutely neces- Shanghai and North China via Taingtau eary for life. It has been proved She of the mellow voice is by a large number of scientific shanghai, experiments that very nearly

which exists in the brain and

draws himself up and is bringing the form of Sanatogen is absorbed." down the club, with terrific force | Even when the nervous conwhen another voice, a little older, ditions go to the extreme length "Have you started-?" of neurasthenia, Sanatogen is Sand showers through the sir and still able to effect a cure. The the caddie proceeds to veneer and eminent physician Dr. Blitz, the Dairen-Per TAIZAN MARU, 22nd inst. head of the Padkow Park

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Shanghal, North China and Siberis --- Per HIMALAYA, 18th Dec., 5 p.m., Swatow and Amoy-Per YOCHOW, 18th inst. 5 p.m. and Shanghai-Per HANG-BANG, 18th inst. 5 p.m. Hongay-Per HEIJO MARU, 18th inst.

TO-MORROW. inst. 9 a.m.

Swatow, Amoy and Foochow-Per. HAT. CHING, 19th Dec., 10 a.m. Halphong, and Saigon—Per HANOI, 19th Dec., 11 n.m. and Indian via Calcutta—Per LAISANG 19th Dec., 11 p.m. Chefco and Chinwantao-Per CHIPSHING, 19th. inst. 5 p.m.

SATURDAY, 20th Dec. Straits, Burmah, Ceylon, Adelaide, Western Australia, India, Aden, Egypt, and Europe via Brindisi. (Late Letters 11 a.m. to noon. Extra Postage 10 cents.) (Supplementary mail on board up to the time fixed for departure of the mail (Extra Postage 10 cents) (Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes in time for the first clearance

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-Per YINGCHOW, 20th inst. 5 p.m. & North China -Per CHOYSANG, 20th "inst.

Japan via Yokohama—Per YATSHING 20th inst., 5 p.m. SUNDAY, 21st Dec. Swatow Amoy and Formosa via Tamsui -Per DAIGI MARU, 21st

MONDAY, 22nd December.

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Philippine Islands-Por TAMING, 23rd inst. 3 p.m. Distinguished men and women Philippine Islands-Per RUBI, 23rd Shanghai and North China---Per LIANG-SHOW, 23rd Dec., 3 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, 24th Dec. Straits, Burmah, Coylon, Adeialds, Western Australia, India Aden, Exypt and Europe vis Naples-Par PRINZESS ALICE, 24th inst. 10 a.m.

THURSDAY, Dec. 25th Shanghai & North China-Per HUI OHOW, 25th inst., 9 s.m.

WEDNESDAY, 26th Dec.

Swatow, Amoy and Foochow-Per HAI-

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TUESDAY, 30th Dec.

FRIDAY, 2nd January. Tsingtau, Wei Hai Wei, Chefoo, Dalny CHEONGSHING, 2nd Jan. 11

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WEATHER REPORT.

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T. F. Clarton, Director. Hongkong, Observatory, Bau. 18th. 1 Barometer, reduced to 32 degrees Fahrenheit on the level of the sea in in-

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The C.P.R. s.s. EMPRESS OF RUSSIA left Yokohama on the 18th instant, at 6 a,m, and is due to arrive Kobe on the 19th instant, at f a.m.

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